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In re U.S. Patent Application

OKUBO et al.

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**For: KNOWLEDGE DATABASE AND METHOD OF
CONSTRUCTING KNOWLEDGE DATABASE**

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**Examiner
Allen, Marianne P.**

**Honorable Assistant Commissioner
for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231**

RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Sir:

This is in response to the office action dated May 20, 2004, in the above identified application, the period for response is set to expire on September 20, 2004, with a one-month extension fee filed herewith. Please amend the above identified application as follows: